



# **Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges**

## **Quarterly Summary Report**

### **Based on Number of Reported Cases**

### **January - March 2009**

Juvenile Court: **Bledsoe**

Court Number: **4**

Cases Disposed or Adjusted: **46**

Children: **40**

General characteristics of these cases follow:

#### **Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges:**

Each case may include up to 5 referral reasons therefore the number of total referral reasons, referral sources, intake actions, formal/informal actions and person executing the action may be greater than the total number of cases.

0	0.00%	Criminal Homicide
0	0.00%	1st Degree Murder
0	0.00%	2nd Degree Murder
0	0.00%	Aggravated Rape
0	0.00%	Rape of a Child
0	0.00%	Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	0.00%	Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	0.00%	Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	0.00%	Aggravated Robbery
0	0.00%	Aggravated Kidnapping
0	0.00%	Aggravated Child Abuse / Neglect
0	0.00%	Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	0.00%	Rape
0	0.00%	Voluntary Manslaughter
0	0.00%	Vehicular Homicide
1	1.85%	Sexual Abuse of a Child
1	1.85%	Other Sexual Offenses
0	0.00%	Aggravated Assault
0	0.00%	Robbery
0	0.00%	Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	0.00%	Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
4	7.41%	Assault
0	0.00%	Reckless Endangerment
0	0.00%	Aggravated Arson
0	0.00%	Arson
0	0.00%	Aggravated Burglary
0	0.00%	Theft of Property
0	0.00%	Vandalism
0	0.00%	Forgery
0	0.00%	Worthless Checks



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0	0.00%	Illegal Possession / Fraudulent Use of Credit / Debit Cards
1	1.85%	Burglary
0	0.00%	Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle
0	0.00%	Cruelty to Animals
0	0.00%	Sale of Controlled Substances
1	1.85%	Other Drug Offenses
3	5.56%	Possession of Controlled Substances
0	0.00%	Criminal Attempt
0	0.00%	Carrying Weapons on School Property
0	0.00%	Unlawful Carrying / Possession of a Weapon
0	0.00%	Evading Arrest
0	0.00%	Escape
0	0.00%	Driving Under Influence (DUI)
1	1.85%	Possession / Consumption of Alcohol
0	0.00%	Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	0.00%	Aggravated Criminal Trespass
0	0.00%	Harassment
0	0.00%	Failure to Appear
0	0.00%	Filing a False Police Report
0	0.00%	Criminal Impersonation
0	0.00%	Disorderly Conduct
0	0.00%	Criminal Trespass
1	1.85%	Public Intoxication
0	0.00%	Gambling
5	9.26%	Traffic
0	0.00%	Local Ordinances
0	0.00%	Violation of Wildlife Regulations
0	0.00%	Contempt of Court
0	0.00%	Violation of Probation
0	0.00%	Violation of Aftercare
7	12.96%	Unruly Behavior



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4	7.41%	Truancy
0	0.00%	In-State Runaway
0	0.00%	Out-of-State Runaway
3	5.56%	Possession of Tobacco Products
0	0.00%	Violation of a Valid Court Order
0	0.00%	Violation of Curfew
0	0.00%	Sexually Abused Child
0	0.00%	Physically Abused Child
3	5.56%	Dependency / Neglect
0	0.00%	Termination of Parental Rights
0	0.00%	Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	0.00%	Violation of Informal Adjustment
4	7.41%	Judicial Review
0	0.00%	Administrative Review
0	0.00%	Foster Care Review
13	24.07%	Custody
0	0.00%	Visitation
2	3.70%	Paternity / Legitimation
0	0.00%	Child Support
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry
0	0.00%	Other
54	100.00%	<b>Total Referrals</b>

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### Referral Sources: 1

18	33.33%	Law Enforcement
7	12.96%	Parents
9	16.67%	Relatives
0	0.00%	Self
11	20.37%	School
0	0.00%	CSA
7	12.96%	DCS
0	0.00%	Other State Department
0	0.00%	District Attorney's Office
0	0.00%	Court Staff
0	0.00%	Social Agency
0	0.00%	Other Court
2	3.70%	Victim
0	0.00%	Child & Parent
0	0.00%	Hospital
0	0.00%	Unknown
0	0.00%	Other
54	100.00%	<b>Total Referral Sources</b>

### Age of Child at Referral: 2

15	37.50%	Ages 10 and Under
1	2.50%	Ages 11 through 12
2	5.00%	Ages 13 through 14
14	35.00%	Ages 15 through 16
8	20.00%	Ages 17 through 18
0	0.00%	Ages 19 and Over
0	0.00%	Unknown
40	100.00%	<b>Total Child Count</b>

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### Sex of Child: 1

22	55.00%	Male
18	45.00%	Female
0	0.00%	Unknown
40	100.00%	Total Child Count

### Race of Child: 1

36	90.00%	White
3	7.50%	African American
0	0.00%	Native American
0	0.00%	Asian
1	2.50%	Mixed
0	0.00%	Unknown
40	100.00%	Total Child Count

### Hispanic Origin: 1

2	5.00%	Yes
38	95.00%	No
0	0.00%	Unknown
40	100.00%	Total Child Count

### School Enrollment of Children: 1

35	87.50%	Yes
4	10.00%	No
1	2.50%	Unknown
40	100.00%	Total Child Count

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**Living Arrangement of Child at Time of Referral: 1**

10	25.00%	With Both Biological Parents
2	5.00%	With Father and Stepmother
3	7.50%	With Mother and Stepfather
7	17.50%	With Mother
3	7.50%	With Father
10	25.00%	With Relatives
1	2.50%	With Adoptive Parents
4	10.00%	With Foster Family
0	0.00%	In a Group Home
0	0.00%	In a Residential Center
0	0.00%	In an Institution
0	0.00%	Independent
0	0.00%	Unknown
0	0.00%	Other
40	100.00%	<b>Total Child Count</b>

**Type of Detention: 2**

0	0.00%	Non-Secure Placement
1	2.17%	Juvenile Detention Facility
0	0.00%	Jail - Complete Separation
0	0.00%	Jail - Partial Separation
0	0.00%	Jail - No Separation
1	2.17%	Psychiatric Hospital
0	0.00%	Unknown
44	95.65%	Does Not Apply
0	0.00%	Other
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**Placement After Secure Detention Hearing: 1**

0	0.00%	Returned to Prior Living Arrangement
0	0.00%	Juvenile Detention Facility
0	0.00%	Jail
1	2.17%	Shelter / Group Home
0	0.00%	Foster Family Home
1	2.17%	Psychiatric Hospital
0	0.00%	Unknown
44	95.65%	Does Not Apply
0	0.00%	Other
46	100.00%	<b>Total Placement Count</b>

**Intake Actions: 2**

39	72.22%	Petition Filed
3	5.56%	Motion Filed
5	9.26%	Citation Processed
0	0.00%	Notification of Paternity Processed
0	0.00%	Scheduling of Judicial Review
7	12.96%	Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	0.00%	Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	0.00%	Unknown
0	0.00%	Does Not Apply
0	0.00%	Other
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**Last Grade Completed by Child: 1**

5	12.50%	Too Young for School
0	0.00%	Preschool
1	2.50%	Kindergarten
3	7.50%	1st Grade
1	2.50%	2nd Grade
3	7.50%	3rd Grade
0	0.00%	4th Grade
0	0.00%	5th Grade
2	5.00%	6th Grade
1	2.50%	7th Grade
4	10.00%	8th Grade
7	17.50%	9th Grade
7	17.50%	10th Grade
5	12.50%	11th Grade
0	0.00%	12th Grade
0	0.00%	Non-Graded Special Ed
0	0.00%	GED
0	0.00%	Graduated
0	0.00%	Never Attended School
1	2.50%	Unknown
0	0.00%	Other
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40	100.00%	<b>Total Child Count</b>

**Enrolled in Special Education: 1**

3	7.50%	Yes
36	90.00%	No
1	2.50%	Unknown
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**Action Executed By: 1**

47	87.04%	Judge
0	0.00%	Referee
7	12.96%	YSO
0	0.00%	Other
0	0.00%	Unknown
54	100.00%	<b>Total Action Count</b>

**Formal / Informal Actions: 1**

15	27.78%	Dismissed
0	0.00%	Retired / Nolle Prosequi
3	5.56%	Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
3	5.56%	Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
3	5.56%	Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglect
1	1.85%	Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	0.00%	Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
7	12.96%	Informal Adjustment
1	1.85%	Pretrial Diversion
0	0.00%	Transfer to Adult Court Hearing
0	0.00%	Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court
11	20.37%	Special Proceeding
4	7.41%	Review Concluded
6	11.11%	Case Held Open
0	0.00%	Other
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**Case Outcomes:**

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9	14.75%	Case Dismissed
1	1.64%	Case Retired or Nolle Prosequi
6	9.84%	Warned / Counseled
1	1.64%	Held Open For Review
0	0.00%	Supervision / Probation to Juvenile Court
0	0.00%	Probation to Parents
0	0.00%	Referral to Another Entity for Supervision / Service
1	1.64%	Referred for Mental Health Counseling
1	1.64%	Referred for Alcohol and Drug Counseling
1	1.64%	Referred to Alternative School
0	0.00%	Referred to Private Child Agency
3	4.92%	Referred to Defensive Driving School
0	0.00%	Referred to Alcohol Safety School
3	4.92%	Referred to Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
0	0.00%	Driver's License Held Informally
0	0.00%	Voluntary Placement with DMHMR
1	1.64%	Private Mental Health Placement
0	0.00%	Private MR Placement
0	0.00%	Placement with City/County Agency/Facility
0	0.00%	Placement with Relative / Other Individual
1	1.64%	Fine
3	4.92%	Public Service
0	0.00%	Restitution
0	0.00%	Runaway Returned
0	0.00%	No Contact Order
0	0.00%	Injunction Other than No Contact Order
0	0.00%	House Arrest
2	3.28%	Court Defined Curfew
0	0.00%	Dismissed from Informal Adjustment
0	0.00%	Dismissed from Pretrial Diversion
0	0.00%	Released from Probation
0	0.00%	Transferred to Adult Court
0	0.00%	DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	0.00%	DCS Commitment - Determinate



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3	4.92%	DCS Commitment - Custody
0	0.00%	DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	0.00%	DCS Intensive Probation
3	4.92%	Other Intensive Probation
0	0.00%	DCS Probation
0	0.00%	Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0	0.00%	Supervision by DCS
0	0.00%	Transferred to Another Juvenile Court for Disposition
0	0.00%	Parental Rights Terminated
0	0.00%	Parental Rights Not Terminated
0	0.00%	Order of Reference to DCS
2	3.28%	Court Costs
0	0.00%	Foster Care Terminated
4	6.56%	Foster Care Continued
8	13.11%	Custody Changed
2	3.28%	Custody Unchanged
2	3.28%	Visitation Changed
0	0.00%	Visitation Unchanged
0	0.00%	Voluntary Acknowledgement of Paternity
3	4.92%	Paternity Determined / Child Legitimated
0	0.00%	Paternity Not Determined / Child Not Legitimated
1	1.64%	Child Support Granted
0	0.00%	Child Support Amended
0	0.00%	Child Support Denied
0	0.00%	Child Support Terminated
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment Granted
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment Denied
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry Granted
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry Denied
0	0.00%	Other

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61	100.00%	<b>Total Outcome Count</b>
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